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For:

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On March 2, 2004, Applicants filed the above-referenced application along with Check No. 241893 in the amount of \$896.00 for payment for the Basic Filing Fee (\$770.00) and seven (7) claims in excess of three (3) (\$126.00), as evidenced by the PTO date stamped filing receipt. A copy of the canceled Check No. 241893 and the PTO date-stamped filing receipt of March 2, 2004 is attached hereto.

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On March 22, 2006, Applicants filed an Amendment under 35 U.S.C. § 1.111, in which Claims 1-3 were canceled and Claim 4 was rewritten in independent form. No new claims were added.

On July 26, 2006, Applicants filed an Amendment under 35 U.S.C. § 1.116, in which Claims 4-12 and 24-27 were canceled. No new claims were added.

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe the \$400.00 charge on March 27, 2006, to be in error and respectfully request a refund in the amount of \$400.00 to be credited to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

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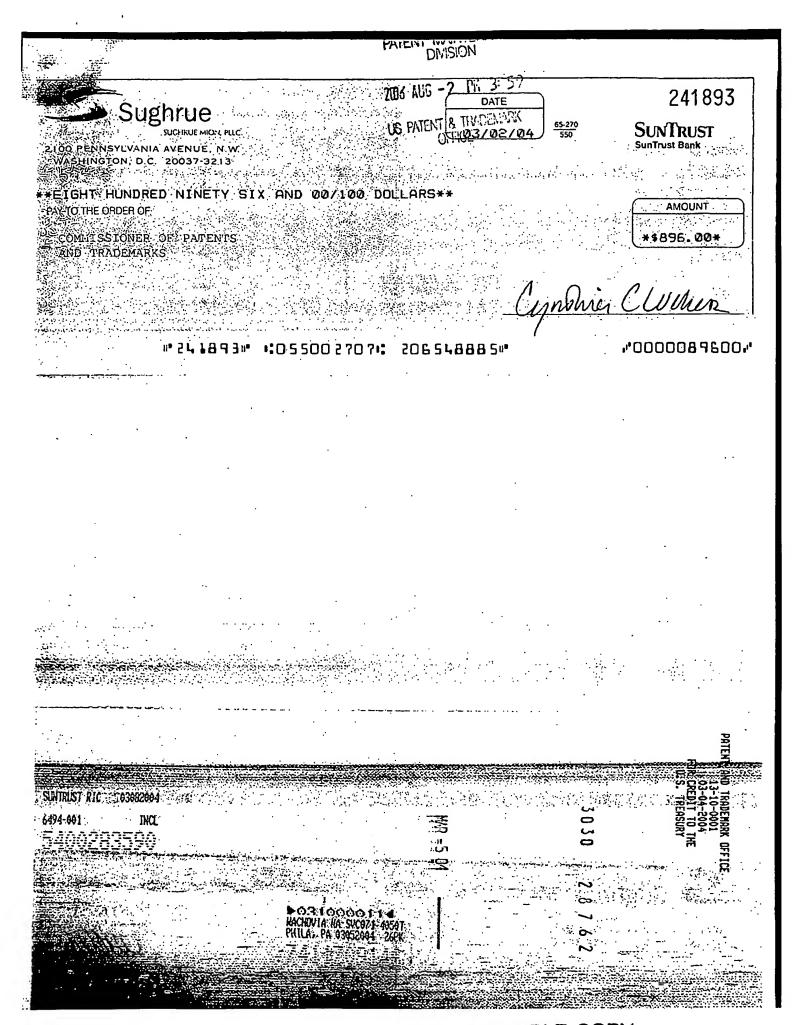
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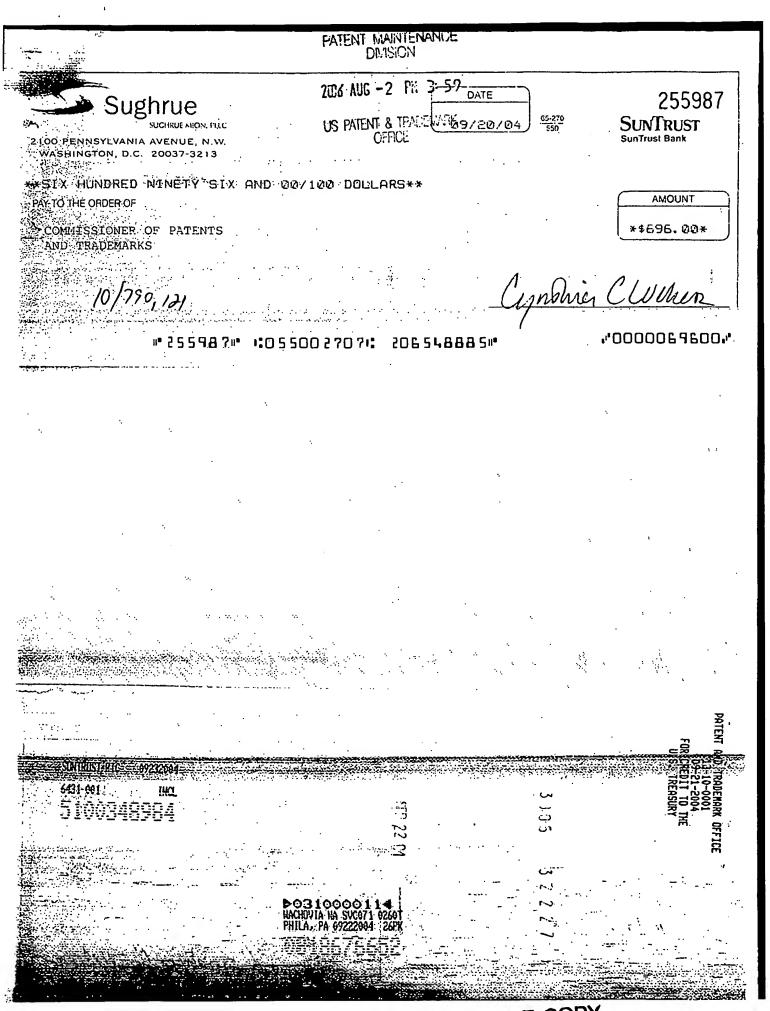
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English translation of the application is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-

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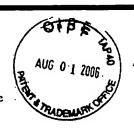
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